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1. SUMMARY: RESULTS VANCE ASSAD TALKS, CARTER SUPPORT OF VANCE MISSION AND PALESTINIAN COMMANDO RAID ON ISRAEL FEATURED IN HEADLINES MOST DAILIES TODAY. EDITORIAL COMMENT CONTINUED NEGATIVE ON FRUITS OF VANCE MISSION TO DATE AND PROSPECTS FOR SUCCESS. END SUMMARY.

2. OKAZ STATED THAT "NO HOPEFUL SIGNS HAVE EMERGED FROM VANCE'S TALKS SO FAR.... U.S. SHOULD INTENSIFY EFFORT TO CONVINCE ISRAEL OF IMPLEMENTING U.N. RESOLUTION." ATWAN IN AL-MADINA COMMENTED: "VANCE HAS NO SPECIFIC PEACE PLAN, RATHER, HE ONLY CARRIES 'IDEAS'...." IN SAME EDITORIAL, ATWAN EXPRESSED BELIEF THAT IF PLO PARTICIPATES AT GENEVA, ARABS WILL HAVE TO MAKE CONCESSIONS IN RETURN. AL-YAMAMAH IMPLIED THAT VANCE DOES NOT HAVE FREEDOM TO NEGOTIATE AS KISSINGER, NOR DOES VANCE HAVE KISSINGER'S EXPERIENCE AND CAPABILITIES; THEREFOR

"NO SUCCESS IS EXPECTED FROM HIS MISSION."

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